

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL OKANAGAN

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING

An election by voting is to be held to elect one Electoral Area West Director and that the following persons are candidates for each office:

ELECTORAL AREA EAST DIRECTOR – One (1) to be elected

Surname	Usual Names	Residential Address
CARSON	Wayne	Electoral Area West, Regional District of Central Okanagan BC
DEWHURST	Ron	Electoral Area West, Regional District of Central Okanagan BC
GILROY	Steven	Tsinstikeptum IR#9, Electoral Area West, Regional District Central Okanagan BC

VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

GENERAL VOTING DAY will be on:

**Saturday, October 17th, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm
at the following locations**

Location	Address
1. Killiney Beach Community Hall	514 Udell Road, Vernon
2. TownePlace Suites by Marriot	3551 Carrington Road, West Kelowna

If you are unsure whether your residence or property is located within Electoral Area West and therefore eligible to vote in this election, please search your address on the RDCO Elections website at rdco.com/elections, or contact the Elections Team at elections@rdco.com or 250-769-4918 for assistance.

ADVANCE VOTING will be held as follows:

**Wednesday, October 7th, 2026
and
Wednesday, October 14th, 2026
Between 8:00 am to 8:00 pm
LOCATIONS**

Location	Address
3. Killiney Beach Community Hall	514 Udell Road, Vernon
4. TownePlace Suites by Marriot	3551 Carrington Road, West Kelowna

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

To register as a resident elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day, October 17th, 2026;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- be a resident of the Electoral Area East on the day of registration (at time of voting); and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

To register as a non-resident property elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day, October 17th, 2026;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- be a registered owner of real property in the for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- not be entitled to register as a resident elector; and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

In addition, for non-resident property electors:

- The only persons who are registered owners of the property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust.
- If more than one person is registered owner of the property, only one of those individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector.
- In addition, in order to register at time of voting:

To register, resident electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature). Picture identification is not necessary. The identification must prove both residency and identity.

To register, non-resident property electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, **proof** that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if there is more than one owner of the property, **written consent** from the other property owners.

MAIL BALLOT VOTING**REQUESTING A MAIL BALLOT PACKAGE:**

Before 4:00 pm on Friday October 16th, 2026, if you wish to vote by mail, you must submit the following information to the Regional District of Central Okanagan office by mail (1450 K.L.O. Road, Kelowna, BC V1W 3Z4), telephone (250-769-4918) or email (elections@rdco.com):

- (1) Full name,
- (2) Residential address,
- (3) Address of the property in relation to which you are voting (for non-resident property electors),
- (4) Method of delivery of your mail ballot package:
 - pick up at office and, if you wish, name of person you authorize to pick up package for you, OR
 - regular letter mail through Canada Post to residential address, OR
 - regular letter mail through Canada Post to an alternate address that you provide when requesting the ballot package, and
- (5) If you are not on the list of electors, to ensure you receive the correct registration application form in your package, you must indicate whether you are going to be registering as a resident or non-resident property elector.

To be counted, your mail ballot must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8:00 pm on Saturday, October 17th of General Voting Day.

Those electors who may require some assistance as a result of physical challenges are invited to contact the Chief Election Officer as soon as possible to facilitate their voting experiences.